parquet floored over-was arranged with incomparible taste; the artistic decorations being the handicraft of the secomplished artist. Lamb. The new suction of the Franklin Company was placed in the bank ground, and manned by an uniformed corp of minature firemen the oldest, perhaps, afteen years of The result, lowest bids, on culverts and age, whose picturesque attitudes with a little graduation, in portions corresponding with the miss for the goddess, perched on the very pinacle of the machine, added greatly to the effect of the brilliant scene when the curtain rose at the opening of the ball. There were, of course, a large number of beautiful and gay young ladies present, while the surrounding boxes were graced by the presence of elder friends of the Company of both sexes, w o, though declining the merry dance, graced the occasion with their presence. Nearly all the volunteer companies were represented by officers and men in uniform, as well as all the fire companies and clubs of the Dis rict. Among the latter we saw on the floor, of the-

Metropolitan Hook and Ladder Company-J. T. Suter, R. Payne, J. T. Chancy, G. J. Suter, S. Spencer S. Mills

German Yagers-August 'ook. Arlington Club-E. C. Eckloff, A. Eckloff, H. C Kleiber. Ben Franklin Target Company-Capt. A. Tait, W. H. Beardsley, J W Fulton, H K. Schibler, C. Lehman J Heath. J Heift, A Jackson, R. G. Eckloff, J. Ray, E. F. Alexan-

Marian Rifles-Geo. B. Bell, John Lang-void, William Dowden, Chas M. Murphey Good Will Club-H Dubant, H. C Hutchins, J. Walling, G. Dubant, L. Mason, Wm. Moore, J Maddox, H Ellwood, W Davis. Union Club-W. E Masten, John Streeks, Jos. Sparrow, Wm White, John Powers Henry Martin, James Murray, Daniel Spilman,

S Dennerson, Jos. Loveless Western Hose, No 1-J R. Spalding, J. T. Modack, D Brown, Wm Delaware, T. Dewdney, H. Popkins, E. Moran, A. Moran, Wm. Tenant, G Dove, J Green, P Burns, G Edwards, J. Parris, G. Cosen, J. Davis, J. Waters.

Vigilant, Georgetown-Q. W. Offatt, J. J. Roles, T Brown, J Heard, J. Plamer, J. Lmg, H Addison, H. Newton, G. Tanmer, A. Williams, J. Sewell.

Northern Liberties-E G. Evans. S. P. Robertson, J. Columbus, J Moran, G Taylor, W Hilliary, C. C Parker, C. McBee, S. W. Taylor, M. T. Kahoe National Guards-J. R. Gill. J. Indermauer.

The dancing was kept up until nearly daylight by the delighted company. The band, their musi: with charming effect, indeed. The Franklin may well be proud of their success | their teachers. last night.

J M Belt, J. Tacker, M Richardson, B. J

ACCEPTANCE OF NOMINATIONS .- Messrs R J. Roche, Wm. J. McCormick, and S. T. Abert, have severally accepted their nominations by the city anti-Know Nothing convention, for the offices, respectively, of Collector,

Register and Surveyor

The following are the letters from Mr.

McCormick and Mr. Abert on the subject: WASHINGTON, May 10th, 1855.

return my sincere thanks for the very flatter- shortcomings in this particular. ing manner in which it was made, and also to thank my fellow citizens for the many proofs WM. JNO. McCornick. To Messrs. Wm B. Magruder, N. Callan, C. P. Wannail, Wm Jones, J. L. Wirt, A. W.

Miller, and S. Pumphrey, committee. WASHINGTON, D. C , May 10th, 1856.

Surveyor, in opposition to the nominations of Haliday and Mr. Cunningham. the Know Nothing Society, has been duly received. I cheerfully accept the nomination of list of signers to the constitution in the course a party whose principles I so cordially ap- of the evening. prove. I regard all secret combinations for effecting political purposes, as full of dangerous

tendencies. It is establishing a precedent ence on our future prosperity. Even if the primary object were unexceptionable, men who have combined, successfully, for one objeet, will unite for others of more questionable have allowed to their opponents one commischaracter. Power once attained will be used somer in three of the seven wards of Washingfea ure in this "Latter day" party is the at-tempt to make religious opinion a civil disability. I cannot sympathise with those who would estrassise the individuals who embrace one of the several forms of christianity. I remain, very respectfully, Your obedient servant.

S THAYER ABERT. S. Pumphrey, committee.

LECTURE -Mr. J. F. Polk delivered a lec ture, last night at Temperance Hall, on the gentlemen, present to hear him.

He took the ground that the Catholics who established a colony in Maryland did not fice from England on account of religious perse cution, nor to enjoy "the liberty of conmain object of the settlement. He referred to various books and papers in support of this position Further, that so far from Lord Bal timore's colony at St. Mary's being the first in

tled minister, Rev Richard James,) five years

before Lord Baltimore came to that State.

He said that he had not received a telegraphic dispatch, giving him the points in the speech of the Hon. J. R. Chandler, (delivered yesterday,) but took it for granted that the tion. On this assumption, he replied to Mr. spectators. Chandler, speaking for more than an hour,

COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION .- As a matter of importance, we republish the list of Commissioners to conduct the municipal election on the first Monday in June namely First Ward -James Carroll, James M. Dor-

sett, J. W. Delaway Second Ward .- John M. Donn, William P. Shedd, Josiah Melvin Third Ward .- Sam Grubb, Eleager Brown,

J. H. G McCuto en Fourth Ward -Thomas C. Donn, J. P. Mc-

Kean, J. H. Boss Fifth Ward -William P. Ferguson, James A Brown, Edmund Barry. Sixth Ward -Samuel S. Briggs, Nimrod

Garrettson, Henry N. Ober.

Seventh Ward -Charles C. Martin, Jackson Pumphrey, Edward S. Allen. MR. CHANDLER'S ADDRESS -The National

Intelligencer this morning, publishes the oration of the Hon Joseph R. Chandler, delivered yesterday, on the occasion of the celeits in botedness to its friends of the Baltimore American, who, doubtless, were supplied with a transcript in advance of the delivery of the

PROPERTY SALE. - Yesterday afternoon, McGuire, auctioneer, sold the house and let on the northwest corner of Eighth and D her clothes. He was taken to the guard house streets, at public suction, to Mr. W. B. Kibbey, for the sum of \$3,050.

ADMITTED TO THE B'B .- Richard B. Bay ard, Erq., of Delaware, was admitted to practice before the Courts of the District of Colum-

WASHINGTON AQUEDUCT .- The following is the list of the bidders for the work on the Washington aqueduct; for culverts and grad-nation: Felix Dumn, John Flood, J. H. Sher-THE BALL LAST NIGHT, given by the Franklin in the National Theatre, was a glorious entertainment. The Hall—the stage and entire

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Strong, N. H. Decker; Hitchcock, Shumen and Offutt; H Flannery, sr , J W Hickox. Phil. and Thes. Collins, Dennis Kennedy, Robert Picken, Solomon McCullogh, James J. Dull. Michael Burke, James Burns, (bid for whole work.) P-O Keefe, Charles Collins, Myrza C Barr. and James M McCloskey.

houses .

86 and 127, and culverts 2 and 4-N H. Decker, \$12 904; D. Lemmon, \$13 779; P. O. Keefe, \$14,276; C. Collins, \$14,544; Isl. Robinson, \$14,933 127 and 196, and culverts 5 and 10-N. H

Decker, \$7,848; P. Keefe, \$9,343; Ch. Collins, \$9.476; Ist. Robinson, \$9.482; D Lemmon, -212 and 246, and culverts 11 and 13-N. H

Decker, \$14.222; F. Duffin, \$15,365; D. Lemmon, \$17,330; Isl Robinson, \$17,553; P. O. Keefe, \$18 339; McCullogb, \$18,436 The above awarded to N. H. Decker

270 and 314, and oulverts 14 and 17. F. Duffin. \$6,697; N. II. Decker. \$7,016; P. O Keefe, \$3,130 ; Ch Collins, \$8 345 ; W. Smith, \$8 571; Ist Robinson, \$8 711; D Lemman, \$3 988. 8 and 53 and outverts 18 and 19 N. H. Decter, \$9 869 : F D-fin, \$10.183; D. Lemman, 12 203; P O Keete, \$12 480; Ch. Cellins \$12 591; Isl Robinson \$12 599 53 and 106 culverts 20 and 26 F Duffin.

\$14 520; N. H. Decker, \$14 654; D Lemmon, \$16 954; Ist. Robinson g17,801; P. O. Keefe, \$18 587; Ch Collins. \$18 630. 111 and 123, culverts 27 and 28. F Duffin \$5.764; N H. Decker, 6 611; D. Lemman,

\$7 364; P. O Keefe, \$7.716; Ch. Collins. \$7.848; Isl. Robinson, \$8.106. The above awarded to F. Duffin. Award to N. H. Decker, from 86 to 246 in-

clusive. F. Duffield from 170 to 314, on the Great Falls division and from 8 to 123 on the Georgetown division. Decker \$34,974; Duffin, 36,750-total 71,724

SUNDAY SCHOOL CELEBRATION .- Next Monday afternoon there will be a large collection f Sunday School children, at the Smithsonian Institution. It is calculated that upwards of twenty-five hundred of them will there congregato.

A meeting of a committee of ten from the several Sabbath Schools was reld yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the celebration. T. U Walter, Esq , was selected to preside over the assemblage, and T. B Morgan alternate, in case Mr. Walter shall not accept the appointment.

Addresses will be delivered by the Rev Messre Cummings and Sunderland, and the singing conducted by Mr T J Magruder. during one of the dances, sang in chorus to The body of the main hall is appropriated to the secommodation of the scholars and

> Interesting services and a beautiful living speciacle may be anticipated.

HYDRANTS OUT OF ORDER -The hydran's on 14th street near the avenue, are in a shocking condition. indeed, making the gutters running streams at all times of late. Those on 12th street, also near Pennsylvania avenue, are in no better condition. They give forth any quantity of water when it may not be wanted, and are chary of their flow, ex-Gentlemen: I have received yours of yes- ceedingly chary, when folks essay to fill buckterday informing me that I was unanimously ets from them It is high time that these nominated by the anti-Know Nothings as a nuisances were attended to We took occasion candidate for the office of Register of this city. a month ago to call the attention of the Second In accepting the nomination thus tendered | Ward commissioner to them, and hope that we to me, permit me, gentlemen, through you, to may not be again forced to remind him of his

THE UNION ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON heretofore given of the confidence reposed in Cirr .- The Association met last night at the me. I remain, gentlemen, your ob't servant, usual hour, and was called to order by the President. The Secretary being absent, Wm. Cooper

was appointed Secretary pro tem There being no busin as of either a general or special character, the evening was passed in hearing several excellent addresses by Gentlemen :- Your letter requesting my ac- Messrs Wallach, Rodgers, Col Clark of New peptance of the nomination for the office of York, Mr. Crawford of Pennsylvania, Mr. Several persons added their names to the

> The Association then adjourned to meet on Tuesday evening next.

THE COMMISSIONERS -Those conversant which can have no other than an evil influ- with cur city affairs on inspecting the list of commissioners to superintend the municipal election, to take place in June next, will perceive that the dominant party in the Councils for purposes not first contemplated by its mild- ton-in the Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh Wards. est adherents But the most objectionable All three of the commissioners in each of the other foer wards are members of the Know Nothing order, or persons notoriously sympathising with that order

SELLING WITHOUT LICENSE.—The license laws of this Corporations have been so long set at defiance by many persons in business in this city, that the p lice officers are taking the To W. B. Magruder N. Callan, C R Wan- matter in hand and are assing sealously. nell, W. Jones, J L Wirt, A W. Miller, Yesterday, Mrs. Catharine Sullivan was taken pefore Justice Bates by officer Simonds for violating the law. She was fined \$20 and costs, and being unable to pay, she was sent to the workhouse for ninety days; but the subject of the settlement of Maryland There | fine was superceded and the prisoner released were not over eighty persons, both ladies and this morning She has always sustained an excellent character with her neighbors.

RUNAWAY SLAVES -Recently several fugitives slaves, from the adjoining States have been arrested in this city. Yesterday, one science"-this being denied to the adherents | was taken in centre market space, and retained of the Church of Rome; but that lucre was the subject to his master's order. This was, a few years since, a profitable business to the constables; but we think that there are few slaves who desire to leave the service of their masters at this time, for harder servitude under Maryland, Kent Island was occupied by one the driving of imposters. hundred and fifty Protestants, (who had a set-

SINGULAR REMOVAL .- There was a small frame house on I street south, near the brick bridge, known as the Eagle Hotel. It was occupied by a small family, and the owner, wishing to erect a larger house on that lot, sold the hotel, and the family not obtaining gentleman had repeated the statements which another dwelling. the hotel, fixtures, turnihave been sterentyped for the last fifty years, ture, and family were removed to another loclaiming that the Catholies made the first cation yesterday. The performance not being settlement, and established religious tolora- advertised, there was a slim attendance of

THE AMERICUS CLUB are making extensive and concluded by saying that, in view of all arrangements for their grand ple-nic, which the historical circumstances, he considered comes off on Monday next, at the White the celebration at St. Mary's, yesterday, a House, the party being conveyed thither by the steamer George Washington. In addition to the other attractions, we learn that the "Lazella Instrumental Club" have volunteer ed their services, and will enliven the company with some choice music.

> THE DELAY OF THE TRAIN THIS MORNING .-Two miles on the other side of Bladensburg and old negro man was struck by a car of the train, and the conductor stopped it to endeavor to save his life. Two hours were lost thus. The negro, who was the property of James Scaggs, was brought by the train to the infirmary in this city, and we presume is dead by this time.

> FIRE .- Between ele en and twelve o'clock this morning, an alarm of fire was sounded. Cause; the burning of a small stable on Capitol Hill. By the time-the down town engines reached half way to the scene, the property was destroyed. As there was no occasion for their services, the machines were hauled back and housed

ROBBERY - Last night a gentleman stopping at Mr Hewitt's on Sixth street, was robbed bration of the landing of the Pilgrims of of over thirty dollars after he had retired to Maryland at the site of St. Mary's city, for a bed. The thief entered his room and searched copy of which the Intelligencer acknowledges his clothing, and found the money in his vest pockets. No arrest has been made.

> BEATING A FEMALE -George Lee, a powerful colored man, well known to our police officers, was arrested last night by officer Wollard, for beating a colored woman and tearing where he was held for a hearing this morning.

LEAVING. - This morning quite a crewd of hands from the fishing sheres on the Potomas passed through this city on their way home. They were strong looking men, and the sobriebis on Pritary last, on motion of J. H. Peters, ty of the gang spoke loudly in their favor. where he was not a drunken man among them. the public.

GOOD MEDICINES .- It is estimated that A YER' CHERRY PECTOBAL and CATHARTIC PILLS have done more to promote the public health than any other onel sames. There can be no question that the Oberry Pectoral has by its thousand on thousand cures of Coids, Coughs, Asthma, Croup, Influenza, Branchtis, Sa., very much reduced the proportion of deaths from son-unprive diseases in this sountry. The Pills are as good as the Pectoral, and will

cure more complaints.

Everybody needs more or less purging. Purge the blood from its impurities. Purge the Bowels, Liver, and the whole visceral system from obstructions. Purge out the diseases which fasten on the body, to work its decay. But for diseases we should die only of old age. Take antidotes early and thrust it from the system, before it is yet too strong to yield.

Ayer's Pills do thrust out disease, not only while it is weak, but when it has taken a strong hold. Read the as-

weak, but when it has taken a strong hold. Read the astounding statements of those who have been cured by them from dreadful Scrofula, Dropsy, Ulcers, Skin diseases, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, Internal Pains, Billous Complaints, Headache, Heartburn, Gout, and many less dangerous but still threatening ailments, such as pimples on the face, Worms, Nervous Irritability, Loss of appetite, Irregularities, Dizziness in the head, Golds, Fevers, Dysentery, and indeed every variety of complaints for which a Purgative Remedy is required. Remedy is required. These are no random statements, but are authenticated by

our own neighbors and your own physicians.

Try them once and you will never be without them. Price 25 cents per box-6 boxes for \$1.
Prepared by DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass., —And sold

D. GILMAN, Washington. 6. M. LINTHICUM, Georgetown.
JAS. COOK & CO., Fredericksburg, and by all Druggists

A CARD TO THE LADIES. -GOOD NEWS FOR THE DR. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN MONTHLY PILLS, the best and most infallible remedy ever discovered for re-lieving and curing all painful, distressing, and difficult men-struction, and removing all periodical obstructions, and in-

regularities arising from whatever cause. These Pills are a TRIUMPH IN MEDICAL SCIENCE. They are prepared by a process which concentrates the agredients into a small bulk, thus rendering it unnecessary or delicate females to take large doses of nauseous drugs Dr. Duponco's Pills are the result of over THIRTY YEARS
EXPERIENCE in the treatment of the diseases of females.—

have already been sold, and the demand for them rapidly in-creases wherever they become known. They have been thoroughly tried in Washington, and found to act like a Sold by all Druggists in Washington, Georgetown and Al zaudria, Va.

They have been advertised for a little over one year, yet SEVERAL THOUSAND BOXES

PHENOMENA IN MEDICINE -Eronchitle, Cough Dyspensia Liver Complaints, Scrofula. &c.—Por all diseases of the Female System it stands pre eminent. A Glergyman just informs us it has cured him of Bronchitis of a desperate character—particulars hereafter. HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE-By its mild so HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE—By its mild ac-tion on the stomach, liver and kidneys, will cure Byspep sia, Congh, Asthma, Bronchial and Lung Affections Pains in the Back, Side and Brea-t, Consumption, Scrofula, Rhen matism, Gout, Neuralgis, Fistala, Bowel Complaints, Piles, Worms, and Nervous Debilities—with all diseases arising from impure blood, and is the greatest female medicine ev-er known. This invaluable medicine is working wonders upon the numer frame. See advertisement to-day. mar 7

PREMIUMS AT THE FAIRS.-WHITEHUEST still in the ascendance.—The Juries of each of the late hire at Baltimore, Richmond, and New York awarded their highest premiums to J. H. W. for their superiority of Photographs, Stereoscopes and Dagnerreotypes exhibited.

Mr. W. also received two Medals at the World's Fair, Loudon, and a premium at Crystal Palaca, New York.

Also, the first awards of the Maryland Institute for three years past.
Whitehurst's Gallery in this city is on Pa. avenue, betw

DE HOOFLAND'S CELEBRATED GERMAN BIT There are few things which afford us greater pleasure than sitting down to write a notice of the celebrated Hoof-land German Bitters, because we are fully conscious we are conferring a public benefit, and our heart tells us that by our notices many have been induced to take these Bitters, and been rescued from death by dyspepsia, liver complaint, &c., for the cure of which it is certain. It is prepared and sold only by Dr. C. M. JACKSON, at the German Medicine Store, No. 120 Arch street, Philadelphia.

A SECRET FOR THE LADIES-HOW TO PRESERVE Beauty.—Don't nee Chalk, Lily White, or any of the co-called commetica, to conceal a faded or sallow complexion If you would have the roses brought back to your cheek, clear, healthy and transparent skin, and life and vigor in fused through the system, get a bottle of Corter's Spanial Mixture, and take it according to directions. It does not you do not find your health and beauty reviving, your step elastic and vigorous, and the whole system refreshed and invigorated like a Spring morning, then your case is hope-less, and all the valuable certificates we possess, go for naught. It is the greatest purifier of the blood known, is perfectly harmless, and at the same time powerfully effica-

Z D. GILMAN, Druggist, has removed to 526 Seventh street, opposite to the Patriotic Bank, and is now preon accommodating terms. Strict attention will be paid to physician's prescriptions at all hours of the day and night. The night bell is on the right of the store door.

. * See advertisement.

JOE SHILLINGTON receives all the new Books and News papers as fast as published. He is agent for Harper's and all the other Magazines, and our readers will always find a large and good assortment of Blank Books and Stationery at his Bookstore, Odeon Building, cor Pa. avenue and 4% st.

MARRIED. At Baltimore, on the 14th instant, by the Rev. Dr.

Backus, NATHANIEL POPE CAUSIN, of this Warfield, of Baltimore. DIED

At Bellevue, Georgetown Heights, on the 14th

netant SAMUEL WHITALL, in his 81st year. On the 15 h instant, at Hount Henry, near this city, in the 73d year of its age, HENRY YOUNG NAYLOR, Esq. On the 14th instant. "ALICE VIRGINIA, daugh ter of Dr. W A. and Witte Groves aged 3 years

Wants.

WANTED.-A BUILDING LOT, ABOUT 25 by 100 feet, in the neighborhood of Vermont avenue or 14th, south of M streets. Address, stating price, &c , box 133 City Post Office.

W ANTED-A GOOD STEADY WOMAN, TO take charge of a child two years old. The best recommendations required. Apply on C street, 3d door from the corner of Third, south side. may 16-21

WANTED.-A PORTER in our store. Refer-HOWELL & MORSELL. No. 323 C street, between 6th and 7th.

Brushes, Linsced Oil, White Lead, Zinc White, White Varnish, &c., for sale as above, in any quan-ATANTED .- An active and intelligent BOY

one who is willing to make himself generally useful can find a good situation by calling at No. 150

WANTED-IN A RETAIL DRY GOODS Store, a Youth, who has had some experi-

ence in the retail trade. Address Box 103 P. O. may 15-51* WANTED-A YOUNG MAN, OR LAD, TO

drive a milk wago .. One that can read and write, well acquainted with the city, understands the care and management of a horse and wagon, so-ber, honest, careful, and industrious, and can be well recommended may apply at Locust Hill Farm,
7th street road, near the first toll-gate.
may 14—3t*

W ANTS A SITUATION.—AN ENGLISH WO man, who can give the best references and testimonials as housekeeper, nurse or travelling assistance for children. Address, "C S," at this office, or at Mrs. Easby's near the Navy Yard. may 14-3t*

WANTED.-TWO HANDS, white or black, and a man and his wife, by the year, to work on a farm near the District. Also, would hire or purchase a second-hand Canal Boat. Call between 9 and 3 o'clock, daily, at the

LLOYD & CO, 15th street. inay 8—ti

WANTED-A PARTNER TO WORK A Stone Quarry and contract for sale of Stone to Government and others, there being now great demand for stone. This Quarry is immediately oppo site Georget wn. Large shanty, blacksmith shop, and every implement on the spot. This quarry fur-nishes the best and largest truck Stone, &c. A chance is now offered. Call or write to LLOYD & CO.

Fifteenth street, oppo. the Treasury. may 3-if WANTED-EVERYBODY TO KNOW THAT they can get a lot 24 feet front by 130 feet

leep, for the low price of \$75-payable \$3 a month without interest. Apply at the Union Land Office, 7th st., above Odd Fellows' Hall. JOHN FOX, Sec. ap 28-3m

SODA WATER-SARSAPARILLA MEAD

THE subscriber would announce to his numerous customers, that his Soda Apparatus has been horoughly overhauled and repaired, and he is now ready to serve every one with a beverage superior to any ever before off-red. He would mention that he has not varied in the slightest from his manner of preparation, which is the proper way.

He would also call the attention of all who like: delicious, drink to the MEAD, which is one of the most refreshing and wholesome drinks made. W. B. BUTT, Druggist,

Corner 12th st., and Pa. av. may 14-eo3t WILLARD'S HOTEL, Old Point Comfort, Va. THIS SPLENDID SEA-SHORE HOUSE IS

Board by the week, per day...... 1 50 Board by the month, per day 1 25 Baths free for the guests
C. C. WILLAR! & BRO may 10-1m

NOW OPEN.

MERCHANTTAILOR, Has removed to his old stand, Mofit's Building. 4% street, one door north of Shillington's Bookstore where he would be pleased to serve his friends and

For Sale and Rent. FOR RENT-A NEW THREE-STORY FRAME HOUSE, containing eight rooms, very pleasantly situated; on New York avenue, near the intersection of New Jersey averue and Third street. It has a side lot for a garden, and a .obd cellar und r the kitchen. To a punctual tenant the rent will be \$15 per month. Possession given on the 1st fune. Enquire of WILLIAM POWELL, one door above.

may 16-6ten BRICK YARD, BRICKS SQUARE of Ground, Horses, Carts, Farms, &c, at Private Sale. The subscriber will sell at private sale, on very reasonable terms, Fquare No 660, which contains an inexhaustible quantity of good brick clay, with a b ick vard now in actual eperation thereon, and about 400,000 burnt and u burnt ready ma e bricks It has on it an inexhaustible cistern-well of water, and a floor room and sheds sufficiently large for eight or ten gangs.

Also, four Horses, two of which are fine broad mares, with young colts, four Carts and Harness. Also, one Parm, lying in Montgomery county, Maryland, about eight or ten miles from Washing ton, on the Adelphi Mill road, immediately in the vicinity of Pisgah Meeting-house, and about three miles from the railroad, containing 180 acres of fine land, a part of which is heavily timbered; and a neach and apple orchard of 1.590 trees, in full bearng, with a variety of other fruit trees. The farm s well watered, and the land in a high state of cul-

Also, a Farm containing 80 or 90 acres, lying be tween two and three miles from the Capitol, with good improvements. Inquire of the subscriber, on C, between Second and Third streets, Washington

SAMUEL C. WROE may 16-eo2w POR RENT-THE TWO NEW HOUSES ON Pierce street, between L and M streets, consaining six rooms each, with basement and a large vard attached To punctual tenants the low rent of eight dollars will be charged month'y. Enquire of the owner, opposite the premises, may 15-2w* CHAS. THOMA.

FOR SALE OR RENT-A NEW FRAME House, situated on Washington street, Georgeown The house is comfortably arranged, contains two fine parlors, eight bed chambers and an excelent kitchen, and is situated in one of the most healthy and quiet parts of Georgetown. Enquire of the owner, JOHN J. PREY, next door. may 12-eotf

MAGNIFICENT RESIDENCE FOR SALE or Rent .- I will either sell my Farm on the Georgetown and Rockville Turnpike, 2 miles above Georgetown, adjoining Tennallytown, or I will rent to a good tenant, the house and garden, (including furniture, if desired) cows, &c., for the summer — Call on the subscriber, at Mrs LYLES'S, adjoining.

THOS. MARSHALL.

A PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE, NEWLY and handsomely furnished, for rent, from 1st June to November, and longer if desired. It is cen tral, and being near the departments always commands any number of boarders. Bight or ten are now in !t who wi! be permanent if desired. The lady wishing to go in the country will rent on the most reasonable terms. Address "A X," City Po t Office. may 14-31*

NOR RENT-A COMPORTABLE TWO STO ry House on 9th street, tetween M and N sts. essession given immediately. Apply to the sub scribers, at their Lumber Yard, corner of 26th and shall sell, by order of the Orphan's Court, in from o H. N. & J. W. EASBY.

OR SALE-A FLOURISHING DRUG STORE Pair of Card Tables, Marble top Pier Table with a complete assorted stock of best drugs, I pair Dining Tables, Mahogan Bureaus &c., in one of the best locations in Washington, D. High and French tedsteads, Stoves, Time-piece ill sell at a very reasonable price Any one Mantie Glass, Wardrone, Fender and Andirons who has a thorough knowledge of the busines and Hardsome bressing Bureau, Biinds the necessary qualifications of the business will find it a rare chance. Address "H 8," Box 106, Wash-

FOR RENT-SEVERAL HANDSOME PARlors and Chambers, with board. Also, Table and transient board. Inquire at Mrs. SMITH'S, 233 F street

HOMES FOR ALL.—Beautifully and healthily located Building Lots, 24 feet front by 130 feet deep, on graded streets, can, until spring, be bought at the exceeding low price of \$75, payable \$3 per month. Title indisputable.
Union I and Office, 7th st.,
above Odd Fellows' Hall.

JOHN FOX. Secretary.

OR SALE-A TWO-STORY FRAME Dwelling House on Massachusetts avenne, between 4th and 5th streets. The house has four excellent rooms and a kitchen, and portico in front, with an city, to ELIZA MACTIER, daughter of Mr. Daniel excellent yard attached to the premises, and running through the entire square, and is situated in as healthy re pectable vicinity as ther - can be found a this cley, and is only two squares east of Northern Market House. Possession given immediately. N. CALLAN, No. 213 F st.

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will sell, at private sale, Let No 8 in Equate No. 414, fronting 99 feet 4 inch on H street south, by 91 feet 6 inch on Eighth street west. The Lot will be sold in whole or in parts, to suit purchasers. Terms accommodating. CHAS. S. WALLACH, Attorney, ap 30-eo4w* opposite west wing City Hall.

A LARGE AND PLEASANT ROOM ON THE second floor, for a gentleman and wife. Also, vacancies for single gentlemen may be obtained by applying at No 473 Sixth st, between D and E may 14-eo31* DURNIS ED ROOMS .- SEVE (AL handsome Parlors and Chambers recently occupied by the

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and other conveniences attached. Pumps of pure water are near the door, and communicat on is had with Georgetown by way of H and Seventh streets and Penn. Avenue, morning and afternoon, at the W ANTED.—A Situation by a good Farm hand, departments.

To secure the advantage of this great reduction of work on a farm. Address "P P," at the Star may 15 3t*

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may be had and the houses inspe ted at any time. Several of these residences will be sold on liberal WM STICKNEY. No 4, Kendall Green. N. B.—Rents paid quarterly in advance. apr 9, 1855-tf

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DOARDING .- One fine large front room, with an adjoining chamber, handsomely furnished, suitable for a family or several young men. Also, Chambers larger than are generally appropriated to single gentlemen, with board, on reasonable terms. The situation is high and healthy, and in the immediate neirhborhood of the Patent Office, Post Office, and Indian Bur au. Transient and table boarders can be also accommodated by application to No. 3 Union Row, F street, between 6th and 7th sts. may 14 1w*

DOARDING .- MRS. M C. GREER respectfully announces that she has taken the large and commodious new brick house, No 560 Penn. avenue, near 2d street, withing one minute's walk of the Capitol, a short distance from the railroad de pot, and she is now prepared to receive hoarders by the day or week upon the most reasonable terms. Also, has a number of fine Rooms furnished or unfurnished, with or without board. Application as

NOTICE .- FOR RENT-PARLORS AND Cham'ers, with board. Also, table and transient board, with a bathing room and shower baths and every attention to render it most agreeable to Mrs. P. G MURRAY. her boarders. Corner Pennsylvania avenue and 41/4 st.

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o'clock a. m., for supp ying to the Marines stationed in Washington city from 1st July, 1855, 10 30th of June, 1856, such quantities of Wood and C al as may be required upon the Quarterly requisitions of Co manding Officers
The wood to be best cak sapling, and the coal best anthracite, free from dust, broken and screened, both to be delivered at suc i points within the barrack walls, as may be designated, free of expense to the United States. may 11-318 w125th

ORGANS FOR SALE SUPERIOR toned CHAPEL ORGAN; and a A fine Rosewood PARLOR ORGAN, both now on exhibition at the Metropolitan Mechanics' Pair. They are from the manufactory of HENRY ERBEN of New York. For terms, &c., apply to Prof. SCHEEL, on 14th street, north of F. HENRY ERBEN.

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Good Clocks \$1 25 Fine Gold Watches, warranted. Jewelry cheaper .han ever. Call and see for yourselves at J. ROBINSON'S. No. 349 opposite Browns' Hotel. may 1-dlm

Auction Sales

By E. S. WRIGHT, Auctioncer, GEORGETOWN. DORTO RICO SUGAR AT AUCTION .- OR MONDAY next, the 21st mat., at 19 o'clock, on F & A. H. Dodge's wharf, the cargo of the brig Pideil i, from Mayaguer, consisting of 218 bhds.

choice and prime Sugars. E. S. WRIGHT. Auctioneer. may 16-dts

By WALL, BARNARD & CO. AUCTS EXTENSIVE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FUR DAY morning, May 17; at 9 o'clock, we shall sell, in front of our Auction Rooms, a large a sortment of house & Sprat, \$15,000; Leligman & Co., \$16, Furniture, &c , viz:

Mahogany hair spring Sofa, Rocker Marble-top Fier Tables, Vases, Dressing Bureaus Two complete sets Cottage Ferniture, nearly new One pair mahogany hair spring Divans Flain Buccaus

Ton Bedsreads, hair and husk Mattresses Walaut leaf Tables, cherry Tables Cane and wood seat Chairs, Rockers Feather Beds and Ba ding

Together with a large lot of Delt, Glass, Crockers Ware, with several other articles in the housekeep Also, two good work Horses and Furniture Wag Terms made k. own at sale

WALL, BARNARD & CO.,

Auctioneers By GRECS & COTT, Anctioncers TYALUABLE BUILDING LOT AT CORNER of Thirteenth street and north L at Auction On WEDNESDAY, the 16th instant, we shall sell in front of the premises, at 51/2 o'c ock p m. part of Lot No. 1, in square No. 247, having a front on the wests de of 13th street west, next to the co-ner of north L street, running back 100 feet. It will be di-vided in four building lots, which will be sold one

with the privilege The above described property is handsomely located, laving an east front perfectly graded and paved Persons wishing to purchase a handsome building lot will do well to attend the sale. This pr p rty is in the neighborhood of Franklin Row Terms: One-quarter cash; balance in 6. 12, and 18 months, for notes bearing interest from the day of

A deed given and a deed of trust taken. GREEN & SCOTT. Auctioneers.

By GREEN & SCOTT, Auctineers SIX VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS AT AUCshall sell, at 6 o'clock p. m, on the premises, six valuable building Lots, situated at the corner of C and 9th streets east, being L is Nos 1, 2, 3, 20, 21, and 22, in Square No 923, having a front of 234 ft. 5 inches on 9th street, and 148 feet 2 inches on C

The above described property is handsomely lo cated, but a few minutes' walk from the Navy flour is only six dollars per barrel. Terms: One-half cash; balance in one and two

payments, bearing interest from the day of sale.

A deed given and a deed of trust taken. GREEN & SCOTT. By E. S. WRIGHT: Georgetown ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—On THURSDAY Morning next, the 17th instant, at 9 o'clock, I

the auction rooms, a variety of well kept Furniture. v z: Mahogany Chairs, Sofas, Secretary and Book-case The present owner being on the paint of leav- Astral and Solar Lamps, Crockery and Glass War

> Best quality Ha'r Mattress. s, &c., &c. Terms cash. EDW. S. WRIGHT, Auct'r. may 14-2t

By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer DMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF HANDSOME and Valuable Stallion. By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court, the sub-criber will sell at public sale, on THURSDAY, the 17th day of May 1855, at 51/2 o'clock p. m., in front of the auction store of James C. M. Guire, on the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Ton'h street west, the valuatile stallion horse "Moscow," belonging to the estate of the late Charles W. Stewart. Moscow is of the Morgan stock, very fast to harness or under the saddle, of fine gait and carriage, and desirable for a

road horse or for standing.

Terms: One half cash, and the balance in 30 and 60 days, for notes satisfactorily endersed, bearing CHAS. S. WALLACH,

Administrator. JAMES C. McGUIRE. Auctioneer.

By J. C. McGUIRE, Anciloneer. ESIRABLE BRICK DWELLING HOUSE and Lot near the Capitol at Auction. On FRIDAY afternoon, May 18th at 5 o'clock, on the premises, I shall sell part f Lot No. 29, in Square No 728, fronting 13 feet on north A street, between Building Lot at Private Sale .- The subscriber 1st and 21 streets east, and junning bac: 27 feet to a thirty feet alley, with a nearly new and substantially built four-story brick dwelling house, contain ing eight rooms. The house is built on an 18 inch stone wall, and is finished in the very best manner

th oughout. Title indisputable Terms: \$1 000 cash; residue in 12 months, with interest, secured by a deed of trust in the premises JAS C. M GUIRE, Auctioneer.

By ChEEN & SCOTT, Auctioneers. MPROVED AND UNIMPROVED PROPERTY at Auction -On FRIDAY, the 18th instant, we shall sell, in front of the premises, at 6 o'clock p.m. a good two story frame House and Lot, situated on the west side of 10th street, between New York avenne and K street, being part of Lot No 7, in square 343, having a front of 22 feet, running back to an alley. The house contains six good rooms.

And immediately after the saic of the above, we shall sell, in front of the premises, part of Lot No. 8 in Square No. 427, having a front on the public space of 31 feet, between 7th and 8th sts , immediely south of the Northe n Liberties' Market, with Title indisputable

Terms: One third cash: balance in one and two years, for notes bearing interest from the day of the

A deed given and a deed of trust taken. GREEN & SCOTT,

By WALL, SARNARD & CO, Austs. stant, at 2 o'clock, we shall sell, in front of our sales of white at \$1.03.\$1.06, yellow at \$1.07 A large lot of mahogany, walnut and maple Ve

Makogany and walnut Woods, shaded an curled The attention of cabinetmakers is invited. Terms: \$20 and under cash; over that sum a credit of 30 and 60 days, for notes satisfactorily en

dorsed, bearing interest WALL, BARNARD & CO.,

By JAS. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer. TERY VALUABLE BUILDING LOT in the First Ward at Public Sale .- On MONDAY afternoon, May 21st, at 51% o'clock, on the premises, I shall sell lot No. 4, in Square 102, fronting 51 feet 1 % inches on north G, between 20th and 21st sts., running back 180 feet, with an outlet from the rear

This lot is delightfully situated in one of the most f-shionable parts of the Pirst Ward, numerous fine houses being in progress of erection in the immediate vicinity. Title perfect.

Terms: One-third cash; the residue in 6, 12, and 18 months, with interest, secured by a deed of trust on the premises. JAS. C. McGUIRE, may 15-d

By JAS C McGUIRE, Auction er. TERY VALUABLE BUIL ING LOT ON P between 13th and 14th streets at Auction .- On TUESDAY afternoon, May 23d, at 514 o'clock, on on the premises, I shall sel the west half of Lot 22,

es on P st , between 13th and 14th, running back 100 feet to a 30 feet alley.

This is probably one of the most desirable Lots for sale in that section of the city. Terms: One third cash; the residue in 6 and 19 months, with interest, secured by a deed of trust on

in Square No. 254, having a front of 30 ft. 2% inch

the premises. JAS. C. McGUIRE, may 15-d Auctioneer.

FIRST PREMIUM PIANOS. UST received, several Planes from the c. lebrated factory of Strinway & Sons, New York; or e n Louis XVIII style These P anos are in e ry respect the best now made in the U- ited States; they eccived at the late Metropolitan Mechanics' Fair the first premium (a silver medal) for each of their Pianos exh bited. Every person ad nires the volume of tone, as well as the workmanship of their instru ments. These, in addition to my other stock of Pranos, forms the best and largest collection south

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H. BEMKEN, No. 330 Pa. av., between 9th and 10th sts. TELEGRAPHIC. PEPOBTED FOR THE

DAILY EVENING STAR. -----Arrival of the Northern Light.

NEW YORK, May 16 -The Northern Light arrived here at Il a m to-day, bringing 361 passengers, and \$278 000 in specie; the latter principally consigned as follows : Wells. Fargo & Co., \$58,000; D Hoadly, \$60.000; Drezel & Co., \$51 000; Ross Falconer, \$21,500; New-

Owing to a general distrust of banking houses, the passengers have brought with them a large amount of specie.

Purser liateb reports that in the interior of Nicaragua no further fighting had taken place. The Government party, finding Morros too strong, had retreated from Leon to Granada and were fortifying that city. [This conflicts with the New Orleans dispa ch]

The California papers present scarcely a feature additional to what has been telegraphed from New Orleans. The Nicaragua expedition under Walker was to have left San Francis about the time the steamer sailed. It consisted of seventy five to one hundred men, including Achilles Kewen, Captain Hornsby, and other well-known individuals. The brig Vesta was chartered to convey hem

The steamer Cortes arrived up on the 22d

Manzanilla, a new Mexican port, is hereafter to be the coaling depot, &c., of the Nicaraguan steamers in their passages to and from San Francisco.

The recently discovered gold miges at Sand Hill are reported to be yielding an average of \$50 per day each man.

It is stated that the number of acres planted with wheat and other serials is much larger this than on any previous year, in the agricultural districts; and this, too, when Calfornia

years the purchaser to give notes for the defenred der a strict construction of the law in relation tion. Dr. Gwin having received a plurality

constitutionally elected. Vigorous efforts are still being made to get as another trial to elect an U. S. Senator, but

have commenced in San Francisco in view of tte expiration of the statute of limitations. The markets closed extremely dull, and prices had a downward tendency. Hazall flour \$14; Sugar, N. O. 91; rice ande fee 124;

Extensive Tannery Burnt.

UTICA, N. Y., May 16 .- The extensive tannery of Henry Sauford, at Durhamville, Onelds County, took fire this morning and was totally destroyed, together with the adjoining boarding house and outbuildings. The loss is about \$35.000, with an insurance of \$13 000 upon it. A part of the stock was saved in a

demaged condition. Death of a Phil aciphia Merchant

in the 70th year of his age. He was a shot manufacturer. Arrival of the Isabel at Charleston. CHARLESTON, May 16 -The Isabel arrived to day She left Havana on the 10th conse-

PHILADEEPHIA, May 16 -Thomas Sparks,

Kendall Bailed

to bail before the U. S. District Court. New Orleans Market. NEW ORLEANS. May 15 -Cotton is unchanged; limited business at prev ous rates; the market is firm; light stock Flour \$10.

Con-Western yellow, \$1 02a\$1 03; white corn

pool 3-16. Baltimore Markets.

New York, May 16 .- Cotton is firm with an upward tendency. Flour has declined 12tc. Southern flour is steady. Wheat is firm. Southern red at \$2 50 Corn is dull with a declining tendency. Western mixed \$1-14. Pork is firm and unchanged. Beef is firm. Lard is firm. Whisky is steady.

Toledo railroad, 81; Cumberland Coal Company, 26; Reading Railroad, 87; Canton Company, 25

LAS AT NEW YORK PRICES. LEONORA, LILY. DE STAEL.

Also, a few very pretty MOURNING MANTIL All the above styles just received and this day ar-

228 Pa. ave., bet 9th and 10th streets. may 11-----3t CHARLES HASK: NS, Architect. Pa. avenue, between Tenth and Eleventh streets.)

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SUPERIOR SODA WATER. HE subscriber would most respectfully inform his former patrons, and the lovers of superior Soda Water generally, that his founts are aga n in operation, and in or er to ke-p up his well earned reputation of keeping the best SODA WATER and most delicious SIRUPS in the cit, is determined (if possible) to have it still better than heretofor

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down as emigrants.

Accor ing to the Delta of Sacramento, unto elections, appears to doubt that Gwin is entirled to a seat in the Senate. The Constituti n declares that a plurality of the votes given at any election, shall constitute a cheice, where not otherwise direct d in the constitu of seven votes over Edwards on the first ballet in joint convention, it is contended that he was

the chances are thought to be very slim.

Two hundred and sixty-four ejectment suits

anthracite coal 13; new butter 35a37t; mere pork 16; adamantine candles 24.

respected merchant of this city, died to-day,

quently her dates have been anticipated by the Franzda.

NEW ORLEANS, May 15 -Kendall, the late post master at New Orlean, has been held

is very source; sales at \$1 20.\$1 25 per bushel. Sterling 9 a 10 !. Cotton freights to Liver-

BALTIMORE. May 16 -Flour is dull; sales of 350 bhls at \$10 87 Buyers were only offering \$10.75 at the cl so. Wheat is unchanged; sales of red at \$2.60a\$2.70 whi e at \$2.70a MAHOGANY, WALNUT, VENEERING, *c., \$2.78. Corn-offerings of 35.000 bushels;

New York Markets.

New York Stock Market NEW YORK, May 16 -Stocks are dull and

lower. Money is unchanged At the first board sales of Erie's at 48; Cleveland and

NO HER ARRIVAL OF PARIS MANTIL

CAMILLA, CLIMENE. DEW DROP ranged for inspection in our Mantilla Room, sec story. MAXWELL & BROTHER,

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